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SUBJECT: US-USSR S&T AGREEMENT: FIFTH JOINT COMMISSION MEETING
(01.00) TALKING POINTS FOR PRESS MEETING WITH KIRILLIN

REFS: A. MOSCOW 9400, B. MOSCOW 8383

1. DURING HIS TALKS WITH KIRILLIN DR. PRESS MAY WISH TO
USE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT RECENT SOVIET ACTION
GRATING MULTIPLE ENTRY/EXIT VISAS TO FRENCH EXCHANGEES
(PARA 8 OF REF A). EMB HAS RECENTLY OBTAINED ADDITIONAL
INFORMATION ABOUT THE AGREEMENT ON TRAVEL FACILITATION WHICH
GROMYKO AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER GUIRINGAUD REACHED ON
JUNE 7. UNDER TERMS OF THE AGREEMENT SOVIETS WILL GRANT
MULTIPLE ENTRY/EXIT VISAS TO ALL FRENCH SCIENTIFIC AND
CULTURAL EXCHANGEES WHO PLAN TO REMAIN IN THE SOVIET UNION FOR
SIX MONTHS OR LONGER. VISAS WILL BE VALID FOR THE DURATION OF
THEIR STAY. THESE INDIVIDUALS ALSO RECEIVE THE RIGHT TO IMPORT
PERSONAL PROPERTY, INCLUDING A CAR. SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL
EXCHANGEES WHO REMAIN HERE FOR LESS THAN SIX MONTHS WILL
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RECEIVE A ONE ENTRY/EXIT VISA.

2. FRENCH SCIENCE ATTACHE, GEORGES RIEU, TOLD SCICOUNS ON
JUNE 30 THAT DURING THE PREPARATIONS FOR THE BREZHNEV
VISIT THE SOVIETS PRESSED FOR THE CONCLUSION OF NEW SCIENTIFIC
EXCHANGE AGREEMENTS. FRENCH TOOK THE OPPORTUNITY TO EXTRACT
THESE VISA CONCESSIONS FROM THE SOVIETS, WHICH THEY HAD BEEN

SEEKING FOR OVER A YEAR.
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